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3 - Please provide a response for Admiral Inman to send to General Hilsman by 31 July 1981.

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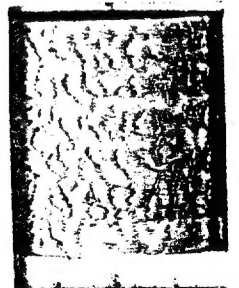
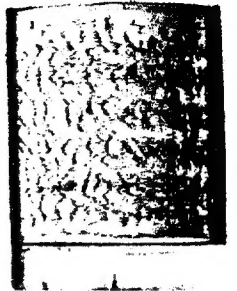
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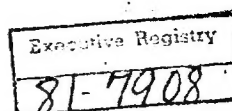
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20305



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15 July 1981

TO: Admiral Bobby R. Inman  
Deputy Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Langley, Virginia 20505

SUBJECT: DCA Goals and Objectives

1. Since assuming stewardship of the DCA last September, I have been singularly impressed by the professionalism, dedication and skills applied to the command control and communications needs of our nation by your people and mine. As we move together into the 1980's, I am dedicated to building upon the firm foundations of the past, the carefully considered plans of today, and the needs of the future. One key to our future lies in our understanding of how best the DCA can accept the challenges facing us. As one of DCA's many investor shareholders, you have a vested interest in where DCA will be going and how we will be getting there. More importantly, there must be meaningful indicators with which you can assess our achievement and performance as we move toward our goals and objectives in support of your needs.

2. The accompanying goals and objectives were prepared to guide DCA's future. As you read them please be mindful they are guidelines -- not rigid nor inflexible mandates. I expect this to be a living document that will continuously be updated by inputs from you as well as other sources. As DCA strives to achieve these goals and objectives, we -- together -- may find better alternatives that can be attained or better ultimate ends. I intend to work these with you. There also may be instances where a more complete understanding is needed. In any event, I need your help and assistance in laying out appropriate DCA goals and objectives in support of your needs.

3. I would appreciate you providing me with your thoughts on our goals and objectives. I am totally confident that together we can satisfy our nation's needs for a survivable and effective command control communications system. We each have a part to play. I want to do my part as best I can. I need your help as we go forward together. I guarantee you our help.

WILLIAM S. HILSMAN  
Lieutenant General, USA  
Director

1 Enclosure:  
DCA Goals and Objectives